

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application. No. : 10/560,533
Applicant : Anna Fernandez SERRAT *et al.*
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Examiner : Jeffrey H. Murray

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Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 30 October 2008 in which the Examiner required restriction between 39 groups, Applicants hereby elect Group XI for examination. As for the species, Applicants elect the compound *(2S)-3-(4-Benzoyloxyphenyl)-2-[4-(2-trifluoromethylbenzyloxy)-benzoylamino]propionic acid methyl ester*. This election is made without traverse. Claims 2, 3, 12, 13, 14 and 45 read on the elected group and species.

Respectfully submitted,

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